BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF YORK YORKTOWN, VIRGINIA

Resolution

| At a regular meeting of the York County Board of Supervisors held in the Board Room, York Hall, Yorktown, Virginia, on the day of, 2006: | | | | |
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| Present | <u>Vote</u> | | | |
| Walter C. Zaremba, Chairman Kenneth L. Bowman, Vice Chairman Sheila S. Noll James S. Burgett Thomas G. Shepperd, Jr. | | | | |
| On motion of, which can adopted: | ried, the following resolution was | | | |
| A RESOLUTION TO COMMEND TYOUTH COMMISSION AND TO EXTHE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS TO DEDICATED SERVICE TO YORK CO | XPRESS THE APPRECIATION OF O EACH MEMBER FOR THEIR | | | |
| WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors mission in 1983; and | established the York County Youth Com- | | | |
| WHEREAS, the following youth, | | | | |
| Brownlee Bakkum, Chairman Jeri Dilts, Vice Chairman Aagya Mathur, Secretary Ben Abel Kelsey Andleton Kristen Ashby | Tiara Hicks Kyle Messick Crystal Palting Jennifer Rosso Nick Swanson Sarah Trimble | | | |

have served with distinction on the 2005-2006 York County Youth Commission; and

Adrienne Beaumont

Jaeeun Cho

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors is extremely pleased with the worthwhile activities undertaken by the Youth Commission this past year and wishes to publicly recognize the members for their accomplishments, which include:

Lauren Watkins

Preparing for the year by attending training and teambuilding sessions during a two-day orientation last August;

Assisting with the community effort in late September for the "York Katrina Benefit Day" event that raised funds towards the hurricane relief effort helping people recover from the devastating Gulf Coast disaster;

Presenting quarterly activity reports to the Board of Supervisors and praying the invocation at these meetings, and also assisting at certain County functions, such as distributing American flags and programs during the 2005 Yorktown Day Celebration and assisting at the annual York County Tree Lighting Ceremony by handing out programs and luminaries;

Co-sponsoring the County's Sixth Annual "Youth Week" event focusing on character development and featuring a nationally known youth speaker who spoke to high school students in assemblies throughout the week and to parents at an evening community meeting;

Assisting the Senior Center of York with its annual Christmas Dinner Dance and co-hosting with Parks and Recreation the Annual Valentine's Party at the Senior Center, providing fun, prizes, and refreshments for all;

Assisting the Historical Committee with its reception welcoming the 2006 exchange students from the county's sister city of Zweibrucken, Germany;

Conducting road cleanups along Goodwin Neck Road as part of VDOT's "Adopt-a-Highway" program;

Voting to increase awareness of the Youth Commission's web site by beginning to advertise it under a shorter, more youth-oriented web address that will be easier for students to remember;

Continuing to provide communication opportunities between the county's youth and elected officials by hosting the third ever "Town Hall Meetings" in each of the County's public high schools this spring, bringing members of the Board of Supervisors and School Board together with high school students, presenting information about local government and current items of interest, and answering student questions and concerns; and

Diligently working for months to analyze data from the Youth Commission's triennial countywide high school student opinion survey that was administered in the schools during December's Youth Week, and scheduling to present the *Survey 2005* results and recommendations to the Board of Supervisors at its first meeting in June;

| NOW, THEREF | ORE, BE IT RE | ESOLVED by the | e York County | Board of Super- |
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| visors on this the | day of | _, 2006, that the | 2005-2006 Yor | k County Youth |
| Commission members b | e, and they here | eby are, congratu | lated for their d | ledicated service |
| to York County and con | nmended for an | outstanding year | • | |

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the York County Board of Supervisors hereby extends its best wishes for continued success to these leaders of today and tomorrow.